

U.S. Department of Justice

Washington, DC 20530

Supplemental Statement**Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended**For 6 Month Period Ending 01/31/2023
(Insert date)**I - REGISTRANT**

1. (a) Name of Registrant
American Defense International, Inc.
- (b) Registration Number
6567
- (c) Primary Business Address
1100 New York Avenue, NW, Suite 630, Washington, DC 20005

2. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following?

(a) If an individual:

- (1) Residence address(es) Yes ☐ No ☐
- (2) Citizenship Yes ☐ No ☐
- (3) Occupation Yes ☐ No ☐

(b) If an organization:

- (1) Name Yes ☐ No ☒
- (2) Ownership or control Yes ☐ No ☒
- (3) Branch offices Yes ☐ No ☒

(c) Explain fully all changes, if any, indicated in Items (a) and (b) above.

IF THE REGISTRANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL, OMIT RESPONSES TO ITEMS 3, 4, 5, AND 6.

3. If the registrant previously filed an Exhibit C
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- , state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6 month reporting period. Yes
- ☐
- No
- ☒

If yes, has the registrant filed an updated Exhibit C? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please file the updated Exhibit C.

¹ The Exhibit C, for which no printed form is provided, consists of a true copy of the charter, articles of incorporation, association, and by laws of a registrant that is an organization. (A waiver of the requirement to file an Exhibit C may be obtained for good cause upon written application to the Assistant Attorney General, National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530.)

4. (a) Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
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(b) Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position	Date Ceased
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5. (a) Has any person named in Item 4(a) rendered services directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such person and describe the service rendered.

Name	Foreign Principal(s) Represented	Services
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(b) During this 6 month reporting period, did any employee or individual working in any other capacity begin rendering services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal(s) in other than a clerical or secretarial, or in a related or similar capacity? Yes ☐ No ☒

Name	Foreign Principal	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
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(c) Have any employees or individuals, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their employment or connection with the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or Connection	Date Terminated
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(d) Have any employees or individuals, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their connection with any foreign principal during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or Connection	Foreign Principal	Date Terminated
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6. Have short form registration statements been previously filed by all of the persons named in Items 5(a) and 5(b) of the supplemental statement or submitted with this filing? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, list names of persons who have not previously filed the required statement or are not submitting a short form with this filing.

II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

7. Has the registrant's connection with any foreign principal(s) ended during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal

Date of Termination

8. Has the registrant registered any new foreign principal(s)² during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal

Date Registered

9. In addition to those named in Items 7 and 8, if any, list the foreign principal(s) whom the registrant continued to represent during the 6 month reporting period.

Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

10. (a) Have the registrant filed Exhibits A and B for the newly added foreign principal(s), if any, listed in Item 8?

Exhibit A³ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A ☒

Exhibit B⁴ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A ☒

If no, please file the required exhibit.

(b) Have there been any changes in the Exhibits A and/or B previously filed for any foreign principal(s) whom the registrant represented during this 6 month period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, has the registrant filed an amendment to these exhibits? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please file the required amendment.

² The term "foreign principal" includes, in addition to those defined in Section 1(b) of the Act, an individual organization any of whose activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in major part by a foreign government, foreign political party, foreign organization or foreign individual. (See Rule 100(a) (9)). A registrant who represents more than one foreign principal is required to list in the statements he files under the Act only those principals for whom he is not entitled to claim exemption under Section 3 of the Act. (See Rule 208.)

³ The Exhibit A, which is filed on Form NSD-3, sets forth the information required to be disclosed concerning each foreign principal.

⁴ The Exhibit B, which is filed on Form NSD-4, sets forth the information concerning the agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal.

III - ACTIVITIES

11. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each foreign principal and describe in full detail all activities and services:

Foreign Principal	Activities/Services
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	Registrant assists the Embassy of the United Arab Emirates (UAE), via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP, with US legislative and related policy matters potentially affecting the interests of the UAE including military sales from the United States and their relationship with the United States. Registrant also provides strategic consulting services and government relations advice to the client.

12. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant, on behalf of any foreign principal, engaged in political activity⁵ as defined below? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures, social media, internet postings, or media broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter. The response must include, but not be limited to, activities involving lobbying, promotion, perception management, public relations, economic development, and preparation and dissemination of informational materials.

Set forth below a general description of the registrant's political activities.

See Appendix for Response

Set forth below in the required detail the registrant's political activities.

Foreign Principal	Date	Contact	Method	Purpose
See Appendix for Response				

13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, has the registrant engaged in activity or rendered any services on its own behalf which benefits the registrant's foreign principal(s)? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, describe fully.

Foreign Principal	Activities/Services

⁵ "Political activity," as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act, means any activity that the person engaging in believes will, or that the person intends to, in any way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

15. (a) DISBURSEMENTS-MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement or transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, explain why no disbursements were made.

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

Foreign Principal	Date	Recipient	Purpose	Amount	Subtotal
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/22/2022	FARA Unit	Filing Fee	\$ 305.00	
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	01/31/2023	Various vendors	Taxis	\$ 380.52	
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	-----	-----	-----	----->	\$ 685.52

\$ 685.52
Total

(b) DISBURSEMENTS-THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant disposed of anything of value¹⁰ other than money in furtherance of or in connection with activities on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal	Date	Recipient	Purpose	Thing of Value
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(c) DISBURSEMENTS-POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant (or any short form registrant) from its own funds and on its own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value¹¹ in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, furnish the following information:

Date	Donor	Political Organization/Candidate	Method	Amount/Thing of Value
09/20/2022	Michael Herson	Jeffries for Congress	Online	\$ 250.00
09/20/2022	Michael Herson	Kay Granger Campaign Fund	Online	\$ 2,500.00
09/20/2022	Michael Herson	Rosen For Nevada	Online	\$ 500.00
09/21/2022	Michael Herson	Jason Crow for Congress	Online	\$ 250.00
09/21/2022	Michael Herson	Mark Alford for Congress	Online	\$ 250.00
09/28/2022	Todd Harmer	Iowans for Zach Nunn	Online	\$ 500.00
10/27/2022	Michael Herson	CA LUV PAC	Online	\$ 500.00
11/03/2022	Michael Herson	Rob Wittman for Congress	Online	\$ 1,000.00
11/29/2022	Michael Herson	Menendez for Senate	Online	\$ 1,425.00
12/08/2022	Todd Harmer	Moore for West Virginia	Online	\$ 1,000.00
01/15/2023	Todd Harmer	Moore for West Virginia	Online	\$ 1,000.00
01/24/2023	Michael Herson	Rob Wittman Re-Elect	Online	\$ 1,450.00
01/24/2023	Michael Herson	Southern States PAC	Online	\$ 2,500.00
01/24/2023	Michael Herson	Mike Rogers Leadership PAC	Online	\$ 5,000.00
01/24/2023	Michael Herson	Scalise Leadership Fund	Online	\$ 10,000.00
01/24/2023	Michael Herson	American Revival PAC	Online	\$ 1,000.00

10, 11 Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

V - INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS

16. (a) During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant prepared, disseminated or caused to be disseminated any informational materials?¹² Yes ☒ No ☐

(b) If yes, identify each such foreign principal for which informational materials were disseminated and respond to the remaining items in this section.

Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

17. During this 6 month reporting period, has a budget been established or specified sum of money allocated to finance the registrant's activities in preparing or disseminating informational materials? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, and specify the period of time and the amount.

Foreign Principal	Period of Time	Amount
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Total

18. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant's activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of informational materials included the use of any of the following:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Magazine or newspaper | <input type="checkbox"/> Advertising campaigns | <input type="checkbox"/> Press releases | <input type="checkbox"/> Pamphlets or other publications |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lectures or speeches | <input type="checkbox"/> Radio or TV broadcasts | <input type="checkbox"/> Motion picture films | <input type="checkbox"/> Letters or telegrams |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Email | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Website URL(s): _____ | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social media websites URL(s): _____ | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ | | | |

19. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant prepared, disseminated, or caused to be disseminated informational materials among any of the following groups:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public officials | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspapers | <input type="checkbox"/> Libraries |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Legislators | <input type="checkbox"/> Editors | <input type="checkbox"/> Educational institutions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government agencies | <input type="checkbox"/> Civic groups or associations | <input type="checkbox"/> Nationality groups |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ | | |

20. Indicate the language used in the informational materials:

- ☒ English ☐ Other (specify) _____

21. Has the registrant filed with the FARA Unit, U.S. Department of Justice a copy of each item of such informational materials prepared, disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, please file the required informational materials.

22. Has the registrant labeled each item of such informational materials with the statement required by Section 4(b) of the Act?

Yes ☒ No ☐

12 The term informational materials includes any oral, visual, graphic, written, or pictorial information or matter of any kind, including that published by means of advertising, books, periodicals, newspapers, lectures, broadcasts, motion pictures, or any means or instrumentality of interstate or foreign commerce or otherwise. Informational materials disseminated by an agent of a foreign principal as part of an activity in itself exempt from registration, or an activity which by itself would not require registration, need not be filed pursuant to Section 4(b) of the Act.

VI - EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, and subject to the penalties of 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and 22 U.S.C. § 618, the undersigned swears or affirms under penalty of perjury that he/she has read the information set forth in this statement filed pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, 22 U.S.C. § 611 *et seq.*, that he/she is familiar with the contents thereof, and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

Date

Printed Name

Signature¹³02/16/2023Bonnie Shindelman/s/Bonnie Shindelman

¹³ This statement shall be signed by the individual agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions, if the registrant is an organization, except that the organization can, by power of attorney, authorize one or more individuals to execute this statement on its behalf.

EXECUTION

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Date

Printed Name

Signature

2/16/2023 Bonnie Shindelman BSE

Appendix

Response to Item 12-Description

Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP: Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP: Registrant has conducted outreach to the legislative branch regarding key issues related to its representation of the principal. Descriptions of all outreach are provided in the Appendix.

Appendix

Response to Item 12-Detail

Foreign Principal(s)	Date	Contact	Method	Purpose
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/01/2022	Pete Spiro, Chief of Staff, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/01/2022	Jessica Bernton, Deputy Chief of Staff, Rep. Bradley Schneider	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/01/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/01/2022	Shaefer Bagwell, Legislative Director, Rep. Mikie Sherrill	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/01/2022	Ben Peterson, Legislative Director, Rep. Betty McCollum	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/01/2022	Josh Paul, Department of State	Email	V-BAT and non-ITAR camera DCS sale to UAE.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/02/2022	Becky Cornell, Chief of Staff, Rep. Pete Aguilar	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/02/2022	Mark Snyder, Chief of Staff, Rep. Jim Himes	In Person Discussion	Abraham Accords and the importance of the US-UAE strategic relationship.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/02/2022	Marc Cevasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/02/2022	Ben Peterson, Legislative Director, Rep. Betty McCollum	Email and Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/03/2022	Gideon Bragin, Chief of Staff, Rep. Hakeem Jeffries	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/03/2022	Jessica Bernton, Deputy Chief of Staff, Rep. Bradley Schneider	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/03/2022	Shaefer Bagwell, Legislative Director, Rep. Mikie Sherrill	Telephone and Email	Upcoming trip to UAE

Foreign Principal(s)	Date	Contact	Method	Purpose
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/03/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/04/2022	Ben Peterson, Legislative Director, Rep. Betty McCollum	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/04/2022	Marc Cevasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/04/2022	Pete Spiro, Chief of Staff, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/04/2022	Gideon Bragin, Chief of Staff, Rep. Hakeem Jeffries	In Person Discussion	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/04/2022	Shaefer Bagwell, Legislative Director, Rep. Mikie Sherrill	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/04/2022	David Keller, Chief of Staff, Rep. Jim Banks	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/04/2022	Shaefer Bagwell, Legislative Director, Rep. Mikie Sherrill	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/04/2022	Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	In Person Discussion	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/04/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/05/2022	Shaefer Bagwell, Legislative Director, Rep. Mikie Sherrill	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/05/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Text & Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/05/2022	Marc Cevasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/08/2022	Pete Spiro, Chief of Staff, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/08/2022	Marc Cevasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Email	UAE embassy statement on the case of Asim Ghafoor
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/08/2022	Patrick Boland, Chief of Staff, Rep. Adam Schiff	Email	UAE embassy statement on the case of Asim Ghafoor.

Foreign Principal(s)	Date	Contact	Method	Purpose
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/08/2022	Marc Cevasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Text & Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/08/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/08/2022	Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/08/2022	David Keller, Chief of Staff, Rep. Jim Banks	Text & Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/08/2022	Jessica Bernton, Deputy Chief of Staff, Rep. Bradley Schneider	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/08/2022	Bradley Bottoms, Chief of Staff, Rep. John Garamendi	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/08/2022	Shaefer Bagwell, Legislative Director, Rep. Mikie Sherrill	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/09/2022	Jessica Bernton, Deputy Chief of Staff, Rep. Bradley Schneider	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/09/2022	David Keller, Chief of Staff, Rep. Jim Banks	Text & Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/09/2022	Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	In Person Discussion & Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/09/2022	Tricia Russell, Chief of Staff, Senator Van Hollen	In Person Discussion	Regarding Asim Ghafoor arrest.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/09/2022	Pete Spiro, Chief of Staff, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/09/2022	Sierra Kelly-Chung, Senior Policy Advisor, Rep. Stephen Horsford	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/09/2022	Bradley Bottoms, Chief of Staff, Rep. John Garamendi	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/09/2022	Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE

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Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/10/2022	Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/10/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/10/2022	Patrick Boland, Chief of Staff, Rep. Adam Schiff	Text & Telephone	UAE detention of Gahfoor
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/10/2022	Marc Cevasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/10/2022	David Keller, Chief of Staff, Rep. Jim Banks	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/11/2022	Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/11/2022	Patrick Boland, Chief of Staff, Rep. Adam Schiff	Text	UAE detention of Gahfoor and pending release.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/11/2022	Sierra Kelly-Chung, Senior Policy Advisor, Rep. Stephen Horsford	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/12/2022	Patrick Boland, Chief of Staff, Rep. Adam Schiff	Text	UAE detention of Gahfoor and pending release.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/12/2022	Brett Horton, Chief of Staff, Rep. Steve Scalise	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/12/2022	Bradley Bottoms, Chief of Staff, Rep. John Garamendi	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/16/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	In Person	Staff trip to UAE and the importance of the US-UAE strategic relationship
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/17/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/17/2022	Cesar Gonzales, Chief of Staff, Rep. Mario Diaz Balart	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/17/2022	Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE

Foreign Principal(s)	Date	Contact	Method	Purpose
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/18/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Email, Text & Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/22/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/22/2022	Jason Galanes, Chief of Staff, Rep. Mike Turner	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/22/2022	Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/22/2022	Iain Hart, Legislative Director, Rep. John Garamendi	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/22/2022	Marc Cevasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/22/2022	Shaefer Bagwell, Legislative Director, Rep. Mikie Sherrill	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/22/2022	Brett Horton, Chief of Staff, Rep. Steve Scalise	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/22/2022	Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	Email	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/28/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/29/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Text	Upcoming trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/30/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Text & Telephone	Upcoming trip to UAE

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Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/01/2022	Brett Horton, Chief of Staff, Rep. Steve Scalise; Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise; Jason Galanes, Chief of Staff, Rep. Mike Turner; Shaefer Bagwell, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Mikie Sherrill; Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta; Marc Cevalasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu, Iain Hart, Garamendi, Legislative Director, Rep. John Garamendi; Amelia Litynski, Legislative Correspondent, Rep. Rob Wittman	Zoom	Reviewed itinerary for Staff Delegation (StaffDel) trip.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/01/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Text	Discussed StaffDel
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/01/2022	Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Email	Reminded her of pre-trip briefing
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/01/2022	Marc Cevalasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Email	Discussed StaffDel
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/03/2022	Brett Horton, Chief of Staff, Rep. Steve Scalise; Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise; Jason Galanes, Chief of Staff, Rep. Mike Turner; Shaefer Bagwell, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Mikie Sherrill; Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta; Marc Cevalasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu, Iain Hart, Garamendi, Legislative Director, Rep. John Garamendi; Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	In Person Discussions	Meet at airport and discuss upcoming few days in UAE

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Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/04/2022	Brett Horton, Chief of Staff, Rep. Steve Scalise; Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise; Jason Galanes, Chief of Staff, Rep. Mike Turner; Shaefer Bagwell, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Mikie Sherrill; Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta; Marc Cevalasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu, Iain Hart, Garamendi, Legislative Director, Rep. John Garamendi; Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	In Person Discussions	Arrive to UAE.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/05/2022	Brett Horton, Chief of Staff, Rep. Steve Scalise; Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise; Jason Galanes, Chief of Staff, Rep. Mike Turner; Shaefer Bagwell, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Mikie Sherrill; Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta; Marc Cevalasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu, Iain Hart, Garamendi, Legislative Director, Rep. John Garamendi; Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	In Person Discussions	Discuss Al Dhafra Airbase and uses; US/UAE relations

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Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/06/2022	Brett Horton, Chief of Staff, Rep. Steve Scalise; Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise; Jason Galanes, Chief of Staff, Rep. Mike Turner; Shaefer Bagwell, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Mikie Sherrill; Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta; Marc Cevalasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu, Iain Hart, Garamendi, Legislative Director, Rep. John Garamendi; Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	In Person Discussion	Continue discussing US/UAE relations; Discuss UAE culture and traditions
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/12/2022	Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Email	Follow up briefings from Staff Delegation trip to UAE.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/12/2022	Pete Spiro, Chief of Staff, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Text	Regarding staff trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/12/2022	Bradley Bottoms, Chief of Staff, Rep. John Garamendi	Text	Regarding staff trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/13/2022	Yardena Wolf, Chief of Staff, Rep. Eric Swalwell	In Person Discussion	Conflict in Yemen, the strategic and trade relationship between the UAE and the US, and the Abraham Accords.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/14/2022	Rep. Mike McCaul	In Person Discussion	UAE withdrawal from Yemen, UAE-US counter-terror operations, pending arms sales to UAE and the Abraham Accords.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/15/2022	Marc Cevalasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Email and Telephone	Followed up to dinner invitation with Ambassador
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/15/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	Telephone	Followed up to dinner invitation with Ambassador
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/15/2022	Shaefer Bagwell, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Mikie Sherrill	Email	Followed up to dinner invitation with Ambassador

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Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/15/2022	Brett Horton, Chief of Staff, Rep. Steve Scalise	Email	Followed up to dinner invitation with Ambassador
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/15/2022	Carolyn King, Chief of Staff, Rep. Rob Wittman	Email and Telephone	Followed up to dinner invitation with Ambassador
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/16/2022	Vago Muradian, Journalist, Defense & Aerospace Report	Telephone	US-UAE strategic relationship and partnership and UAE relationship with China.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/20/2022	Senator Jacky Rosen	In Person Discussion	Abraham Accords and arms transfers to the UAE.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/20/2022	Emily Leviner, Chief of Staff, Senator Deb Fischer	In Person Discussion	US-UAE strategic relationship
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/27/2022	Brett Horton, Chief of Staff, Rep. Steve Scalise; Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise; Shaefer Bagwell, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Mikie Sherrill; Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta; Marc Cevalasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu, Iain Hart, Garamendi, Legislative Director, Rep. John Garamendi	In Person Discussion	Joined dinner with UAE Ambassador and listed staff discussing trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/05/2022	Rep. Ruben Gallego	Text	OPEC's decision to cut oil production by 2 million barrels per day.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/05/2022	Marc Cevalasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Text	OPEC's decision to cut oil production by 2 million barrels per day.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/06/2022	Marc Cevalasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Telephone	OPEC+ cutting oil production
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/07/2022	Bart Reising, Operations Director, Rep. Steve Scalise	In Person Discussion	OPEC production cut
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/07/2022	Vago Muradian, Journalist, Defense & Aerospace Report	Telephone	OPEC's decision to cut oil production by 2 million barrels per day.

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Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	12/19/2022	Brendan Shields, Republican Staff Director, House Foreign Affairs Committee	In Person Discssion	Regarding Abraham Accords, future arms sales to UAE, and UAE role in the release of Brittney Griner.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	01/10/2023	Jason Tuber, Chief of Staff, Senator Bob Menendez	In Person Discussion	Regarding a possible trip to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	01/10/2023	Josh Paul, Department of State	Telephone	Pending arms sales to UAE
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	01/24/2023	Shira Siegel, Chief of Staff, Rep Jason Crow	In Person Discussion	Conflict in Yemen, Abraham Accords and US arms transfers policy to Middle East nations.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	01/31/2023	Alex Ball, Chief of Staff, Rep. Mikie Sherrill	In person discussion	Future meeting between UAE Ambassador and Rep. Sherrill

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Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/07/2022	Rep. Ruben Gallego	Telephone	OPEC production cut
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/10/2022	Rep. Adam Smith	Telephone	OPEC reduction in oil production & upcoming meeting between MBZ and Vladimir Putin.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/11/2022	Shaefer Bagwell, Legislative Director, Rep. Mikie Sherrill	Telephone	OPEC reduction in oil production
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/11/2022	Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Telephone	OPEC reduction in oil production
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/12/2022	Vago Muradian, Journalist, Defense & Aerospace Report	Text	OPEC's decision to cut oil production
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/13/2022	Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	Email	Financial Times article on UAE position on OPEC
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/14/2022	Taylor Fairless, Military Legislative Assistant, Rep. Jimmy Panetta	In Person Discussion	OPEC decision to cut oil production and the creation of an integrated air defense for the Middle East region.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/14/2022	Marc Cevasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Email and Text	Middle East Policy Council messaging on the Putin meeting with MBZ and OPEC production cuts.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/14/2022	Rep. Adam Smith	Telephone	OPEC's decision to reduce oil production and pending legislation to restrict arms sales to Saudi Arabia and UAE.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/19/2022	Marc Cevasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Text	Washington post article about US retired military officers advising the UAE.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	11/14/2022	Brian Garrett, Staff Director, House Armed Services Committee	Telephone	Regarding story about UAE influence in American politics
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	12/08/2022	Vago Muradian, Journalist, Defense & Aerospace Report	Telephone	Regarding UAE assistance in the release of Brittney Griner from Russian captivity.
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	12/09/2022	Marc Cevasco, Chief of Staff, Rep. Ted Lieu	Telephone	Regarding UAE assistance in the release of Brittney Griner from Russian captivity.

Appendix

Response to Item 14(a)-Detail

Foreign Principal(s)	Date Received	From Whom	Purpose	Amount	Subtotal
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	08/25/2022	Akin Gump Hauer Strauss & Feld LLP	Government relations and strategic consulting on behalf of UAE	\$45,000.00	
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	09/26/2022	Akin Gump Hauer Strauss & Feld LLP	Government relations and strategic consulting on behalf of UAE	\$45,000.00	
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	10/25/2022	Akin Gump Hauer Strauss & Feld LLP	Government relations and strategic consulting on behalf of UAE	\$45,000.00	
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	12/09/2022	Akin Gump Hauer Strauss & Feld LLP	Government relations and strategic consulting on behalf of UAE	\$45,000.00	
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	01/10/2023	Akin Gump Hauer Strauss & Feld LLP	Government relations and strategic consulting on behalf of UAE	\$45,000.00	
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	01/26/2023	Akin Gump Hauer Strauss & Feld LLP	Government relations and strategic consulting on behalf of UAE	\$55,000.00	
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates via Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP	-----	-----	-----	----->	\$280,000.00